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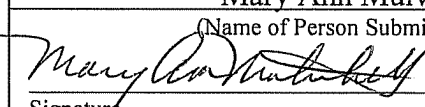
**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated January 21, 2009, Applicants submit this Amendment together with a Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time and Request for Continued Examination. This Amendment contains the following parts:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper; and

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.

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